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Mon. Nov. 24 1913

Journal of
D. M. Blue
Chief Engineer
Sch. Alasca C.A.G

July 21st 1914

Moved aboard today
ice conditions looking
favorable for getting
out freely soon

July 22

Myself & ass't making
some minor improvements
on Engine. Remainder of
Crew dismantling shore
quarters & preparing to
come aboard tomorrow
morning. Wind went North
East today & drove ice
back in place again
today may have to remain
here a few day yet

July 23
Ice still packed
July 24
still no signs of ice
moving out.
July 25
Wind sprang up during
night from W. S. W
& cleared out ice from Beach
so all was got aboard as
fast as possible & we hove
anchor 5 P M & started off
leaving Collinson Point behind
where we had been camped
for the past Ten months
& some days 12 Oclock midnight
we reached Martin Point a
distance of about fifty miles
but had to Anchor as ice
was packed solid The
schooner Mary Sachs also
anchored along side of us

at 12:45 am

Sun July 26
I ca still Flashed very
light all around wind
N.E

Mon July 27
Wind still N.E. Temp +33
at noon Ice moving rapidly
towards W. We moved Schooner
along side ice Cake & Filled
Fresh water Tanks

Tue. July 28
Wind still N.E

Wed. July 29
Mr Sweeney Called Dr. Anderson
and I at 3 am at 2 o'clock as
wind was off shore and the
ice seemed to be loosening up
so we got under way
immediately and proceeded along
the spit about 2 miles but could
get no further Schooner
Mary Sachs is also ice bound

here

Thur July 30

Wind still N.E ice still moving W. Olson sighted a small schooner this evening about ten miles ahead in the ice

Frid July 31st

Wind still N. E. & E ice still light strange schooner in same position

Sat. Aug. 1st

Wind still N. E & E alt. strange schooner advanced a few miles nearer this evening but now at 3 PM she seems to be stopped again about 5 PM Mr McConnell of the C. A. B. came aboard Alaska accompanied by Mr Lenhardt Engineer of Schooner Anna Olga bound for Nome

Mr McConnell going as
Pass anger. Reported ice
conditions favourable E so
We hoisted anchor about 9 PM
and hucked our way through
about ½ mile of heavy fresh
ice reaching schooner Anna
Alice about 4.30 Am. Aug 2nd
when we steamed steadily
ahead until 11 Am when we
broke our rudder tackle
and stopped until 6 PM
repairing & resting
When we again hove
Anchor & proceeded onward
at a very slow rate hucking
ice all the way until 1 Am
Aug 3rd when we reached Jerry
Bluff a distance of about
12 Miles where we were
stopped again by ice
We saw Schooner Mary Doyle
about 12 miles astern

when we hove anchor but
did not see her again until
this am when we again
sighted her about 10 miles
astern she had left Marion
Point fifteen minutes after
we but did not make as good
progress as we through the
ice. Today I noticed a
slight Easterly drift of ice
Wind N.W. The general drift
so far seeming to be west
The schooner Mary Sachs arrived
here late this evening where
we remained all night in
Company

Aug 4th

We hove anchor this am
at 5 15 am Wind still Westerly
reached Duffy O connors house
at 11 15 am Mary Sachs arrived
about 6 00 pm We hove anchor
at 8 pm after loading

some cargo and again proceeded on our way wind still holding S & W ice Conditions a little better at 10 P M again ran into ice pack & dropped anchor about 100 Yds off shore

Aug 5

Have anchor this am at 7 A M ice conditions looking very promising. 5 P M shut down Engine for 20 minutes to Change sparking Pin 7 P M arrived at Herschel island. Mr Chipman Cox & Oneill arrived later with native Fleet Aug 6 Mary Sachs arriv 6 P M Aug 7 ~~Mary Sachs arriv~~ 6 P M

Worked on gasoline Launch Edna (20 H P motor Boat) Herman (Whaler) arrived fleet Today

Aug 8th

Left here this Pm with Mr Watkins to make trip to Kay Point in Launch Edna

9 ~~9~~ 12

arrived here this PM from Kay Point Had fine trip Launch running smooth weather foggy

Aug 10th
Aug 11th

Herman left here this PM about 5 Oclock immediately after which Mary Sachs left here on here Cruise north Messrs Wilkins (Commander) Bernard (Captain) Crawford (Chief Engineer)

Aug 12th

Whaler Belvedere arrived here at 5 PM from E returned caught 5 Whale 9 no ice in sight

Aug 13-14th

Started Engine this am about found one cylinder had got full of water But Could not stop Engine to dry it out as we were drifting on the shore which was then less than 20 fathoms off I noticed the "Rosy H had dragged her anchor & was on the beach so also was a small schooner belonging to Mr Slade (she was high & dry) immediately afterwards the C.G.S. North Star went drifting past but Mr Cox had some trouble with his engine so she ~~was~~ I could not go ahead so she went high & dry also. By this time our anchors had reffed

It appeared to be holding so I stopped the engine & dried No 1 Cylinder & started immediately having been shut down about 15 minutes. So we got under way & went down Bay to shelter

Aug 16

This Evening The Whaler Belvedere Hailed Schooner North Star off the Beach enhere she was driven up by the storm

Aug 17

at 9:15 this morning we hove anchor and got under way for Headed towards Barbia Island at 2:45 we reached Hay Point a distance of 24 miles & there had to anchor. the ice much heavy Close on shore

Aug 18th

Have anchor Aris at 8:45 am
stopped alongside ice berg
to take fresh water aboard
at 9:45 started again a 10 am
and proceeded close along
shore at 12 noon we had
to stop again owing to
ice being packed solid

Aug 19th

Have anchor Aris am at 8:45
immediately after starting
this pm we left off circulating
pumps shore stopped 1.30 pm.
remaining proceed again
immediately after another pm
broke stopped again about
1 hr reached shingle spurs
where natives were camped at
10 o'clock am 3.20 pm have anchor
again & proceeded across
Mackenzie River Delta

on our course towards Barbé Island our cook is sick since he was shipped at Kenshel Island one of the Esquimo Deck hands is cooking at present. Schoone North Star is in company with us at present having arrived last night about 10 P.M

Aug 20

Weather fine. light N.E. Breeze Engine running smooth. Schoon making from 5 to 5½ nautical miles per Hr. Cook able to be on duty today. Schooner North Star has dropped behind & is not in sight now 9 P.M vessels course being about N by E since Single Pedro (By Compass) very little ice in sight at present

Aug 21st

Dropped anchor inside Spit at Baibie Island this am at 8:15 Schooner Teddy Bear lying here at anchor owner & Master Joe Bernard has been in this vicinity for last five years. Schooner North Star not in sight yet. Overhauled engine and found her in good condition

Aug 22nd

Schooner North Star sailed in to anchorage this am at 10 o'clock had been aground on Sand Bar all night about 5 miles off Wreck anchor at 12:35 & headed for Cape Henry Teddy Bear also left at same time for Home

Aug 23

Passed Cape Perry 1.15 am
Weather fine very little
ice in sight 8 pm very
light Easterly breeze
heavy ground swell seems to
be increasing ice in places
very plentiful

Aug 24

Weather fine light Easterly
breeze passed Point Hope
11-30 am everything running
smooth arrived at Cochburn
Point 8 pm & at 8.30 pm Hack
anchored in small harbour
where Expedition expect to
establish winter quarters

Aug 25

Found one blade of propeller
broken off short. Same
having occurred by striking

against beach at Harshel Isl. I was in no wise surprised to find it in this state in fact was rather relieved as I knew very well that the propeller was either broken or that the tail shaft was sprung the latter being the worst of the two evils as we are not carrying a spare shaft just now. but have a spare propeller

Aug 26, 27, 28
Discharging Cargo

Aug 29
Today we are busy at present handing the stern of ship on beach to ship a new propeller

Aug 30
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~~Sept 1~~

Sept 2

After much difficulty I succeeded at last in getting propeller repaired, having to work 12½ ft under water at a Temp + 39° with a cold wind blowing standing in the water to the waist & stooping till nothing was above water but my head and when a small sea came not even that

Sept 3 2

Preparing to go to sea and getting stores off

The Beach

Sept 3rd

All ready to go out But could not on account of ice in entrance of Harbour

Sept. 4th

Sept 5 Sat.

One of our Equimos shot a Caribou today Game is not very plentiful here at present

Sept Sun 6th

Got underway at 5-30 am from Cochrane point going west will try to reach Baillie & possibly Herschel Is. if ice conditions look favourable for getting back The new wheel which we shipped is a little too large but I think we can get along

with it this year I intend to cut it down a little this winter when about 1½ Hrs out I had to shut down on account of fouling points Evening Lovs it required 35 minutes to make nessary repairs Passed Wise Point 6 P m Had been logging 6 per Hr for some time 6 9/10 earlier S W wind & sea seems to be decreasing

Mon Sept 7

Weather fine, light airs from Easterly direction Temp. +47 1.45 p m light breeze log reads 200 miles. Engine running smooth

Tue Sept 8th

Came on deck at 4-30 a m and saw land which was banks Land on Starboard q r. about

25 miles off 12.45 noon log reads 358 weather fine light Westerly airs Temp 46 Engine running smooth 11-30 pm dropped anchor in Lagoon at Bailie Is.

Wed. Sept. 9

Have anchor & got underway leaving Bailie Is. at 12.45 noon stiff Northerly breeze 1.30 pm all sails set with Engine running full (gave her slight overhaul at Bailie Is.) Filled 30 Cases dist.

Thur. Sept. 10

Wind Easterly light breeze off Mc/Kenzie Delta 12 25 noon log reads 161½ Mls. Engine running smooth 6.30 am log reads 21½ made land & anchored at 11 pm Close to ice pack

Frid Sept 11

Hove anchor and left Shingle
Point at 5-30 am Ice thick
spoke to Sulice fishing about
8 am & proceeded towards
Herschel I.s. arrived at Hersh
I.s. at 5 Pm weather fine

Sat Sept 12th

Overhauled Engine while we
were loading Cargo. Schooner
Ruby did not arrive at I.s
with out supplies from
outside so the principal
part of our Cargo will
Consist of Engine Distillate
& Coal

Sun Sept 13

Left Herschel I.s. this morning
at 5 am fresh breeze from
N.W. ice freshly thick

& moving rapidly towards the East & inshore 11 am tied up to a grounded ice cake wind freshening & ice moving on fairly tight 4 pm 9 Pm wind hauled towards S & dropped to almost Calm Temp + 30

Mon Sept 14th

Got under way at about 5 am the wind still holding S and a little fresher ice moving off shore & fairly loose stopped at Shingle Point to send back some mail with R.N.W.M.P who had a whale boat and were fishing, got under way again at 10.10 am after about 1 1/2 hrs run stopped Engines forty minutes to make minor Repair (Due to bilge water flooding Engine room) 7 Pm all morning smooth all round

set making 8 Mls per Hr. wind
S.W. no ice in ships course
but loose ice showing outside
L Hd

Sept 15

Strong N.W. wind heavy sea
all sail taken in except Storm
reefed foresail & forestl
reached Baillie Is. 8 P.M storm
increasing

Sept. 16

Lying at Anchor inside mouth
of Harbour storm still raging
Cape Bathurst sand spit
almost all under water snow
falling heavily Temp + 26

Sept. 17

Storm still raging snow
falling Temp. + 24° hoisted
anchor this am about 10 Oclk
& moved further up Harbour
Lowered a boat & went

ashore to Eskimo settlement
to get some footwear which we left
to be repaired when we went
W. Dr. Anderson brought two
large dogs & 1 pup

Frid Sept. 18
Still storming with some
snow falling Temp. +22
Barometer 29.85
Moved Schooner further into
Harbour at noon

Sat Sept 19
Storm abating Temp +27
at 8 am Dr Anderson went ashore
with Crew to get a few ton
of whale meat & blubber off
a carcase which was on the beach
also to purchase four dogs off
some natives who live here

Sun. Sept. 20th

5 am this morning we hove anchor & got underway but went aground a few minutes later & could not get Schooner off so far 8 am I tried to haul her off again at 6 pm at high water but failed again

Mon. Sept. 21st 21

Started to unload cargo today to lighten Schooner with intention of getting her off with high water when light. I am busy making stove pipe out of oil cans to install stove in cabin 9 P M River Schooner Entered Harbour

Tue. Sept 22nd

Finished unloading Cargo
Schooner which arrived last
night is H.B. Co. Boat
I shot one whale for today at
whale carcase (same for specimen.
Could have shot 6 or 7 more
if desired. Large flocks of ducks
passing towards W & has been
for several days past. Wind
hauling towards S.

Wed. 23 Sept

Got Schooner off Bar. 10 am today

Thur 24th Sept.

H.B Co. Boat left here at 7 am
bound for Cape Prairy. had fine
sailing breeze from S. W. Temp +28
went up spit to whale carcase
and saw 12 or 15 fox several
came up to about 5 or 6 feet of
wher I sat on the gravel
they appear very tame just now

Sept. Frid. 25th

Strong E. wind with slight snow showers. Dr Anderson killed three fox today. (for specimens) Game list today 2 Eider ducks & 5 old Squaw ducks

Sept. Sat 26th

Stormy appearance

Sept. Sun. 27th

Weather stormy & Cold if weather permitts will go Bear hunting tomorrow

Sept Mon. 28th

Sept. Schooner at 8 am in company with Mr Arnold Aarnout. Castel Capt of C. G. S. Nort Star We proceeded along sand spit for about 1½ miles in a canoe where we landed having shot 2 ducks & one sea gull. here we saw fresh Polar Bear signs,

We then hunted along the coast for about 2 miles. Our hopes were beginning to fail of find the Bear or Bear's in this direction having saw no fresh signs. and were intending to retrace our steps & hunt West when I saw a large Polar Bear emerge from under neat the Bank on which we stood about 300 yds off, he had smelled & also saw us first, & was making out to sea through the slush ice. so we concluded that there was no use of shooting him as it would be impossible to get to him throught the ice with a boat & so we watched him for about five miles still going out to sea. we then retrace our course W. to our canoe and there found the 2 duck & Sea gull had been eaten by the foxes while we were gone.

We also remembered we had left our rifle cases about ½ a mile back. and went to get them. just as we were fetching them up Mr Castel gave me a poke in the ribs. & at the same time whisper "look" there are 2 of them. And sure enough there was. one large Bear & one small Bear coming at right angles to our trail which they began to smell at when the met & then turned to run back. so we started also to run and head them off. which we did. they then took to the water but the slush ice impeded their progress so that we got within range & secured both of them. we then went back to ship had some dinner took the motor boat & brought back both of them

Sept. Tue 29th

Weather fine & schooner provoze on
on young ice this am Mike & Shy
shot a Seal

Sept. 30th Wed

Young ice making fast Dr Ander-
Shy. & I went out duck hunting
& got 15 ducks 1 Loon & 2 Seagulls

Thur. Oct 1st

Can walk ashore over ice from
Ship. Mr Castel got a large Gull
the Cook got a seal & Mike got 2

Frid Oct 2nd

Fine frosty morning
Mr Castel & I went out bear hunting
saw three after some stalking
got within range of two of them
when Mr Castel gave a warning
Call and I discovered I had almost
walked on top of the third one
lying on an ice Cake

he immediately came for me and I promptly gave him a bullet which made him swing round, and give a roar he then laid back his ears and came at me again, but I met him with another bullet in the chest which threw him over on his back he then turned & took to the waters, so then Mr Castel & I both got into action on the shore and for a few minutes there was some Genuine roaring, being loud that they heard it on board the ship 1½ miles off and sent reinforcements which we met coming when we were returning. one of the bears got out among the slush ice while we were gone but I think we will get him when it freezes a little harder if the foxes does not have him eat up the other two we skinned and brought them

Sat. Oct. 3rd

Storming from E Barometer low

Sun. Oct 4

Weather fine Mike shot a seal today

Mon. Oct 5

Tue. Oct 6

Went out this am bear hunting Mr Castel & I we saw one Polar Bear coming towards us. about ½ mile off after we had went a short distance from ship. & we started to stalk him. but unfortunatly some native women with dog team's came along the beach. the dogs howling scared the bear & he took to the water & swam off shore before we got a shot at him

~~Tues~~ Wed 7 Thur 8 Frid 9th
Sat Oct 10th

This last ~~3~~ days past there has been nothing worthy of mention happened or been done as there is nothing to do at present. This morning Mr Castel went out to give the dogs a little exercise & I by went along they forgot to take a rifle which is bad business in this country as shows here. after they had got about a mile from camp, and about two or three hundred yds from a corner of high land which the must to go round, the dogs caught a small fox and so got mussed up for a few minuts and when they were ready to start again two bears came around the corner which they would have ran plump into had not the dogs caught the

fox. so they immediately made for ship again & four of us went after the bears. but they had went out to sea so we did not see them at all

Sun. Oct. 11th

a little stormy today everybody staying around ship except Mr Sweeney who went out bear hunting but returned soon afterwards having seen nothing

Mon Oct. 12th

This morning Mr Postel & I boy shot a she bear & two cubs

Tue. Oct. 13

Done some dog training

Wed Oct. 14th

Went out bear hunting but saw nothing. so also did four or five more; they also got same results. at present I am making a stove out of oil cans (5 gal)

Mon Oct. 19th

Bought two pairs of ~~stockt~~ eye glasses from Mr Sweeney for 5$ & made a present of them to two old native H. & W. in return the woman is making me a pair of deerskin pants & will make me some boots later on

Sun. Oct 25th

Mr. Castel & I went out this am bear hunting. We saw tracks of 5 bear but did not get sight of any

Mon. Oct 26th

I by went out at day break this am and wounded one she bear at which he had fired all his ammunition. he then came back to Camp & reported having wounded one which he thought could not get away. & there were two cubs staying by her. the fourth had ran away. four men then left the ship & tailed the wounded bear & two cubs not seeing anything of the fourth

Sun Nov. 1st

Dr Anderson. ~~[illegible]~~ Castel. I by & Mike left here this am at

9 45 am Dr Anderson & Castel bound for Cape Del. Hovsey. & probably Athins Point. to bring back a sled which had been cached there. They & Mike were intending to stop at Anderson river to hunt ptarmigan. The last few day there was nothing worth mentioning happended We had a few polar Bear tracks but no success

Mon. Nov. 2nd

Large Polar Bear came ashore last night & was feeding on whale carcase but went out again before daylight Wind W. Temp —2

Tue. Nov. 3rd

Weather fine Temp —3 Wind W.

Wed. Nov. 4th

Weather fine Wind W Temp —10

Native John Sh shot a polar Bear today also trapped 9 fox (Plenty attention to religion but more to law

Thur. Nov. 5th

Wind still W. Brisk Breeze
Temp. — 5° Cook will move into
Cabin to night on account of it
being too cold in fore castle
no heating stove being in there
I have been busy yesterday
and today Making dog harness
for the trip to Cape Barrow
which I contemplate

Frid. Nov 6th

Weather fine Wind W Temp +10
Mr Sweeney went out Bear hunting
this am after breakfast saw no
bear signs but noticed 17 foxes
caught in traps, set by native
John Shea & other natives man
living here. The close season
here for fox is set ~~to after~~
~~to~~ during summer up to
Nov. 10th These people are very
clement in their Winters to

god and they certainly will need considerable aid from him to keep them out of Jail if the N. W. M. P catch them. They know the law & understand it very clearly on this point as I had been discussing it with them & found they knew all about it

Sat Nov 7th

Weather moderate Wind still W. Temp -15 I am still working making dog harness. One native Nasaupk trapped 7 fox today, and John sh. 15

Sun Nov 8

Cold Clear morning Wind S. E. was N. Last night -Temp -31 Mr Sweeney went out Bear hunting this am when he came back he told me he had counted 14 foxes in the natives traps

he killed one to fast it out of grain as it was on a bad way caught by the lower jaw the remainder of them will have to wait until tomorrow as this is Sunday and the native would not think of breaking it by shooting them out of grain. Dr Anderson & Harly returned to ship at 2:30 P.M. Unsuccessful in getting to Del Houser where they were bound for to get sled, deep snow was the cause of not reaching their destination. the two natives who went with the Dr to hunt at Anderson Riv. did not even see one fit to shoot and absolutely no game to be seen)

Mon Nov 9th

Wind W. Temp -20 old native shot & killed a polar Bear

early this am I went out to
open lead today but saw neither
seal nor bear natives still very
busy skinning foxes Left to
Sat Nov 7 Nov they had killed
83 more

Sun Nov 10th

Weather fine Wind SE Temp -18
Mr Sweeney 9 Miles shot 16 duck
today in the open water which
I visited yesterday The native
caught 16 fox on their traps today
Dr Anderson was fixing a tent
today preparing to go E I do
not expect to make the trip
to Cape Perry now the Dr having
failed to get the sled which
he went after which means
I shall be left with forty
rounds of ammunition for my
rifle it being to big and
procure ammunition that I

entended a making. the trip

Wed Nov 11th

Mike our native killed a polar Bear today & saw another out on the ice Mr Sweeney was out on the ice but did not get a shot at any of them. The natives trapped 16 fox today

Thurs. Nov 12th

Mike shot four more bears today, and saw another which he could have shot, as it passed within a few yards of him but for some reason he did not shoot him all the men are out shooting now except the cook the Dr & myself The natives trapped 28 fox today. Wind Southerly Temp 6

Fri Nov 13th

Wind Westerly Temp -10 Weather fine & clear. Last night about nine P.M 3 Bears came close to the ship when the dogs gave warning so every body grabbed rifles & started after them Mike & I pursued them about 1½ miles out to sea Mike fired 6 shots at one but missed each time I saw one & kept him in sights for a few minutes but did not shoot as he was about 100 yds away and it was too dark the others did not leave the beach. We had no mittens, caps or coats on & I froze my both thumbs so did Mike but not badly

Sat Nov. 14th
Weather stormy Wind N.W.
Temp -9

Sun Nov 15
Wind W. light breeze sky clear
Temp -20 went ashore at noon
and joined Eskimos in church
service. They prayed to Jesus
to send Dr Anderson fair wind
& fine weather on his trip E

Mon. Nov 16th
Wind N.W. calm & clear Temp -20
Dr Anderson busy finishing up
his work here before going E

Tue Nov 17
Wind E weather fine Temp -20
Two large bear tracks close
to ship this am I expect to
go out tomorrow am & take a
look for them Dr expects to
leave tomorrow am Weather permitting

Wed Nov. 18th

Wind E Strong breeze seems to be increasing Temp -5 Dr Anderson had a little trouble with his stomach today & did not get up

Thur. Nov. 19th

still stormy Wind E Temp +2 the Dr did not consider it advisable to start this am owing to head Wind he being able to go today Two of our dogs got killed last night in a fight one of them was practically torn to pieces the Cause of the trouble being several of them loose. The two killed & five others we have here were the finish out of over fifty dogs which the expedition owned

Fri Nov 20

Dr Anderson left here this am at 9'15 Bound for Cochburn Point where the base of operations is situated, he also took Messrs Castel. Sullivan & Shy. They had seven dogs in the team which leaves the ship without any dogs at present which makes it rather inconvenient for us here but it could not be helped owing to the two dogs which got killed Light N wind Temp 0

Sat. Nov 21st

Weather fine light N wind Temp -2 have a female dog & three pups down in cabin will have to keep them here for a day or two till they get a little stronger and can stand the cold. They make lots of noise at present

Sun Nov 22nd

Wind N. light breeze Temp —5
Weather thick

Mon Nov 23

Wind N. light breeze Weather
Clear Temp -12

Tue Nov. 24th

Wind N.E. light breeze shy cloudy
Temp. -9 I began last nigh to
try and teach two Eskimo girls
how to read & speak English
(one of them is a half breed) she
seems fairly bright, it is very
hard to confine their attention
to their lessons. x missed

Wed Nov. 25th

Weather fine light Easterly airs
Temp -12 shy clear. Yesterday
the sun shone for a few minutes for
the last time this winter. today ~~it~~
it did not appear

Thur. Nov. 26

Weather fine light Northerly airs
Temp -20 Sky Clear

Frid. Nov. 27

Weather fine & clear. Wind N. E. light
breeze. Temp -15 several polar Bear
tracks on the beach this am
Mr Sweeney saw two Bears yesterday am
but did not get a shot at them
as they saw him before he got
within range

Sat. Nov. 28th

Wind E. strong breeze Temp -12
sky cloudy. snow drifting slightly.

Sun. Nov. 29th

Weather fine sky cloudy, wind
changed, this fore noon, from E. to S.W.
Temp 0

Mon. Nov. 30th

Wind S. E. later changed to E stiff breeze shy cloudy Temp. -9 much open water off shore Polar Bear seems to be rather scarce of late due no doubt to so much open water off shore

Tue. Dec. 1st

Weather fine light Easterly wind shy clear Temp -2 Wind strengthened a little towards evening

Wed. Dec. 2

Wind S. E. stiff breeze shy clear Temp. -2

Thur. Dec. 3rd

Wind S. stiff breeze, shy overcast. Temp, +5

Frid Dec. 4th

Wind S. W. stiff breeze; shy Clear. Temp. +10

Sat. Dec. 5th

Wind West light breeze Temp. -4 shy clear

Sun. Dec. 6th

Wind S. W. weather fine shy overcast Temp +8 There appears to be much open water outside the floe ice here extends about one and a half miles off shore and then open water as far as the eye can see. During last month two native men working together caught upwards of six hundred fox. at present one fox skin is worth from twelve to twenty Dollars in the outside market last year traders on this coast were praying ten Dollars per Pelt. The natives ought to get lots yet. as they are praying very hard to Jessus to send them plenty.

Mon. Dec. 7th

Wind S W shy clear Temp +15 Bear at whale carcass last night

over

Tue. Dec. 8th

Weather stormy. Heavy Westerly wind shy overcast Temp + 18 O per water close to shore this evening

Wed. Dec. 9th

Wind W. Blowing a gale shy overcast Temp + 14

Thur. Dec. 10th

9 am Calm & Cloudy Wind E Temp + 8
2 Pm strong N.E. Wind Temp - 2
shy clear

Frid. Dec. 11th

Weather stormy snow drifting Low Wind N.E. shy clear Temp + 8.
Native named Freeman & family arrived here this P m a 4 o Clock (family consisting of himself, wife, and a boy belonging to another man)

Sat Dec 12

Wind S.W. Calm shy Cloudy Temp + 20 Light Wind Springing up during the evening, weather growing clearer, and colder. boy left this morning to bring

another family here, from big whale Bluff from whence Freeman came

Sun Dec. 13th

Weather rather stormy wind about 20 mls. per. Hr. Blowing from S. W. Temps. +10

Mon. Dec. 14th

Weather fine Wind W. shy cloudy Temp +16. Five more natives arrived here this afternoon

Tue Dec. 15th

Wind S. weather stormy Temp + 10 my night school is increased now to four pupils (Eskimo) and several other applicants, but I have not got accomodations for any more at present

Wed. Dec 16th

Wind W. Weather stormy snow drifting low Temps. +20

Thur. Dec. 17th

Wind W. Weather stormy wind about forty miles per. Hr. Temp. +10

Frid Dec. 18th

Wind W. Weather stormy snow drifting Temp -2 at 9 am Last night the wind veired to E and snow was falling heavly at bedtime but wind changed back to the W. during the night

Sat. Dec. 19th

Wind N.W. blowing light breeze Temp -19

Sun. Dec. 20th

Wind N.E. light airs sky clear Temp -20 (9am)

Mon. Dec. 21

Weather fine Wind N.E. Temp -20 a native named jimmy arrived here yesterday am from whale bluff (trading for the H.B. Co.)

Tue. Dec 22nd

Wind S. Weather fine light breeze. Temp — 16

Wed. Dec. 23rd

Wind S.W. light breeze Temp — 15

Thur Dec 24th

Wind S.W. light breeze shy cloudy Temp — 18 Jim the native left here today going back to his schooner.

Frid Dec. 25th

Wind S. Weather fine & foggy Temp. -2 & rising We had a very quiet Christmas The only event to distinguish today from any other day being (the big feed) which we gave the natives We had fourteen natives all told The feast consisted of Roast Bear meat Bread fruit pie & Candy. & one cigar each to the men

Sat Dec. 26th

Weather fine Temp -15 (S.I. Bach P)

Sunday Dec. 27th + Sophia

Weather fine Wind E. Temp -10

shy cloudy

Mon Dec. 28

Wind S. light breeze foggy

Temp -15

Tue Dec. 29th

Weather exceedingly fine light airs

from southerly direction shy clouded

with light gray clouds close halo

around moon Temp +10

Wed Dec. 30th

Weather fine Wind E light airs

shy light cloudy Temp 0

Thur Dec. 31st

Weather fine Wind S.E. shy cloudy

Temp +10. We went on deck at midnight

to see the old year out and the new

one in as is the ancient custom

so also did the natives living here

and so finished another year in the arctic

Cape Bathurst

Frid. Jan 1st 1915

Wind S.E. light breeze shy cloudy
Temp 0. Yesterday Peter a native
killed a Polar Bear out on the edge
of the floe where he was sealing
so the natives can afford to have
a New Year's feast. The seal
seems to be getting a little more
plentyful here, as the natives are
getting one or two each day right
along just now ✓ started

Sat Jan 2nd

Wind E. stiff breeze snow falling
Temp +5

Sun. Jan. 3rd

Weather stormy. Wind N.E. snow falling
Temp. 0 Today being sunday all the
natives congregated in one house
and held Church service. I did not
attend, being busy but Mr Sweeney
did, and he tried to straighten
out some of their religious
views which seem to be badly

Surrended. As I before mentioned these people here are very devout in their religion, They have got an Orphan girl living with them just now, who was left in their charge, last summer to look after her till next summer, a plentyful supply of food left with her to maintain her till then. After Church was over Mrs Sweeney in passing the house where she held Church; and where she lived noticed her sitting out on the snow bank and asked her what she was doing there. Told him that the people in the house told her to either go to live on the ship or stay outside the same people had on many occasions tried to persuade Mrs Sweeney & I both to take her to live with during the winter. An act which we had declined to do although if they put her out

on the snow bank we certainly cannot see he freeze to death (which is an old custom of theirs, in which manner they used to kill off old undesirable people, and also young babies which they did not wish to raise) so in such a case we shall have to make some arraingements for her, as she is wholly incapable of doing so for herself. The difficulty seems to be that they have got a daughter of their own which they want to marry to a young native man here and she is in the way, as the young man's people prefer her (Anayuk) to their daughter.

Mon Jan 4th

Wind E. strong breeze Temp -10.
wind grew stronger towards evening

Tue. Jan 5th

Wind E. snow falling almost calm Temp 0. Several inches of snow has fallen during the last few day, in fact more than all the snow fall this season, until this snow fall

Wed Jan 6th

Wind N.W. Calm Temp -4 sky clear Peter (a native) shot & killed a polar Bear today. No open water along the floe here at present

Thur Jan. 7th

Wind N.E. light breeze foggy Temp -28 Wm Jacobson & a native arrived here this noon ten day's from Tikty garith, from whence he came he brought the news that pelts had dropped in price enormously, on account of war, which was raging in Europe, between Germany, against England, Fforance, Russia, also that all provision & ammunition, was soaring high in price. The price of Fox

skins has dropped 66 ⅔ in price
Polar Bear 75 ⅔ & Black Fox about
95 ⅔. At present the natives here
does not believe that even if the
white men does want to fight
amongst themselves, it can
make any difference to them up
here, a fox skin is always a fox skin
and the white men must have them
so she will get the price for them
they have always got

Fri'd Jan. 8th

Wind E. light breeze Temp. -10
Mr Jacobson to me today he
saw two dogs drift on the beach
last fall, which I believe to be
two of the dogs Mr Leffanssen
had with him, on the ice trip
by their description

Sat. Jan. 9th

Weather fine, light variable airs
Temp -22

Sun Jan. 10th

Weather fine, wind Easterly Temp -22
Mr Jacobson is still remaining with
us aboard the schooner

Mon Jan. 11th

Wind N. E light breeze Temp -22

Tue Jan. 12th

Wind W. Weather thick snow falling
lightly Temp -12

Wed Jan. 13th

Wind W. stiff shy cloudy Temp -12
Jamonie, and several other natives
arrived here, from Horton River, this
evening. in response to a message
from Mr Jacobson (now stopping
here) in connection with Hudson
Bay Co's Business

Thur. Jan. 14th

Wind W. Weather fine, cold, & clear. Temp-28. I saw the Eskimo man today, whose thumb, I cut the front part, almost all off last fall, it had been smashed between two boats and was in a bad way then, now it look all right except a little small from the first joint towards the point

Frid. Jan. 15th

Wind S. weather fine and clear Temp--35. Mr Sweeney meet with a slight accident this evening at 6 P.M he was lying in his berth so also was his knife, and while in the act of getting out of his berth, he sat down on the knife, which stuck into his hip about one inch, bringing up against the bone, but we do not expect any serious trouble from the accident

Sat Jan. 16th

Weather fine & clear Wind N. E. Temps -26. Mr Jacobsen & native left here this am at 9 o'clock bound for Kittigazuit. Had eight dog team. Jimmy and other native man left here also this am for Smoky mountains, Jimmy's son also. other young man stopped here

Sun. Jan. 17th

Wind E. strong breeze snow drifting low. sky cloudy. Temps. -18

Mon, Jan 18th

Wind E. Weather stormy. sky cloudy Temps. -11 to day Mr Sweeney is able to move around without much pain, from his wound

Tue. Jan. 19th

Weathe fine light E. wind Temps -13. 7 P.m wind S.E. stiff breeze

Wed. Jan. 20th

Wind W. light breeze. Sky clear Temp. -28. The upper limb of the sun appeared to be just about level with the horizon today, and we expect to see it plainly tomorrow if it is a clear day.

Thur. Jan. 21st

Wind N. E. light breeze Temp. -25 We did not see the sun today either as there was a heavy colored bank along the horizon. Mr. Sweeney completed a snow house around the stern of the ship today. for the purpose of covering a hole which we are going to cut in the ice to get to the propeller.

Frid. Jan. 22nd

Wind N. very light. Weather fine and clear Temp -20 We did not see the sun today on account of a heavy cloud along the horizon

Sat Jan 23rd

Weather fine Sky clear Wind N. E Temp -29. We saw the sun here today, the first time this year she shone about two hours.

Sun. Jan. 24th

Weather stormy. Wind W. Temp -20 I have been busy for the last two days making a fish net.

Mon. Jan. 25th

Wind W. light breeze Temp -20

Tue. Jan 26th

Wind W. Weather fine Temp -35

Wed. Jan 27

Weather fine. Light breeze Wind W. Temp -27

Thur. Jan 28th

Wind W. Weather fine & clear

Temp - 35

Frid Jan. 29th

Weather clear and cold. Calm

Temp - 42

Sat Jan 30th

Weather fine sky clear Temp - 42

We have got a patient aboard tonight, an Eskimo woman who is pretty sick looking, and as we have to give her medical attention anyhow we allowed her to come and sleep aboard, untill such time as she can get around. I think all is the matter with her is that her system is run down and that she has caught a bad cold, but as Mr Sweeney and I are no doctors we cannot tell at present.

Sun. Jan. 31st

Weather fine & Cold Wind variable
Temp - 42. patient still freshy
Sour

Mon. ~~Jan~~ Feb 1st

Wind E fresh breeze Temp - 26
our patient seems to be a little
better today but says she is
very weak, and has very little
appetite.

Tue Feb. 2nd

Wind E stiff breeze snow drifting
Sour Weather thick Temp - ~~25~~ 19

Wed. Feb. 3rd

Wind E still rather stormy
Weather thick Temp - 10
The sick woman does not seem
to be much better yet

Thur Feb 4th

Wind W. light breeze Temp - 10
Mike & I went out seal hunting
Mike got one & shot at three other
but missed them I shot at one & missed

Fri Feb 5th

Wind N. Calm weather fine Temp -10. The patient seems to be a little better today

Sat Feb 6th

Wind E fresh breeze Temp -15

Sun. Feb 7th

Wind E light breeze sky clear Temp -10. The sick woman which we have here appear to be all right again and is able to walk about

Mon Feb 8th

Wind E light breeze sky clear Temp -12

Tue Feb 9th

Weather fine Temp 0 Wind var. & almost calm

Wed. Feb. 10th

Weather fine Wind E. sky cloudy Temp 0 I got the net furnished with the aid of Mike having made 64 ft. and had no more twine.

Feb. Thur 11th [redacted]
Weather stormy snow drifting
Wind N. Temp 0

Frid Sept 12th
Weather fine light air from
S var. Temp-5

Sat Feb. 13th
Wind N. W. light breeze stry
cloudy Temp -5. a native named
Kutahoh shot a small Bearded Seal
the day before yesterday which is
the first which has been seen
around here this winter so far

Sun. Feb 14th
Wind N. W. fresh breeze Temp -12
Mr Sweeney married an Eskimo
woman today. he got married
according to the Eskimo custom
Which is simply taking the woman
to sleep with you. But he intends
to get married in proper style
when we get to civilization
The woman's name is Ungayou

Mon. Feb. 15th

Wind N.W. light breeze Temp -18

Mr. Sweeney and his bride seems to be getting along very well

Tue. Feb. 16th

Wind N.W. ligh airs variable Temp -28

Sky clear. Last night when going to bed I discovered that I hade got a slight touch of scurvy in my legs one spot on each shin, about two inches wide, and ten inches long I expect that it is due to lack of variety of food. as our stock of provisions are, flour, sugar, tea salt meat, & bear meat, peas, a few pounds of dried figs, and a few pounds of beans, 6 packages of dried currants, which is our stock for three men during winter, which is about eight months long. We have no medicine here for scurvy but I got some Citric acid from an Eskimo woman. which a white

man had gave to her, and the Eskimos were using it for candy But I think I have got enough to set me right again

Wed Feb. 17th

Wind light & variable sky clear Temp -22. Upon further inspection I found that I had the scurvey a little worse than I at first thought I am still able to walk about eight miles per day without much trouble which I have been doing almost all winter. I trapping foxes, the only difference I can feel is that I am a little more tired when I get back

Thur. Feb. 18th

Weather fine and clear. Wind variable light airs. Temp -20. I saw 3 Ptarmigan today but could not get any of them, as they were very wild. I cannot notice any change in my legs, yet, for better or worse

Frid Feb. 19th

Wind N. light airs. Weather clear Temp - 24. I did not see any Ptarmigan today. Yesterday Mike went out on the ice bear hunting, saw several fresh tracks, but no bears or seal either

Sat. Feb. 20th

Wind E light breeze (increasing) Temp - 25 saw four Ptarmigan today, but did not get a shot at them

Sun. Feb 21st

Wind E ligh & variable shy cloudy Temp - 10. The scurvy attacks in my legs seems to be disappearing very fast, in fact are almost Gone. so also is the citric acid

Mon. Feb. 22nd

Wind E. light Temp - 10 shy clear I walked about 14 miles today, and only saw one ptarmigan

Tue. Feb. 23rd

Wind S E light Temp -12. shy clear I was over on Baillie Is. today but saw nothing. My legs seems to be improving fast.

Wed Feb 24th

Wind W. stiff breeze snow drifting low. Temp -10

Thur Feb 25th

Wind var. Calm shy clear Temp -20. Mike & I went out seal hunting today, but the ice had closed up & we could not find any open water, I got back to ship at 2.30 P.M, and found Mike had already arrived.

Frid Feb. 26th

Wind N. E. light breeze, shy clear Temp -30. Last night Mike was complaining about his legs being tired all the time, so I took a look at them, and we discovered then that he had the Scurvey also. My legs were almost beter

when the medicine which I had got ran out and now they are as bad as ever; but today I found that a native on the beach had some citric acid belonging to a white man who had left it with him, but the natives did not want to part with it for nothing (although the have been getting medicine from the ship all winter, every few days, for nothing) so at night I went over myself and had a talk with them so they sold me most of what they had, in payment for chewing Gum which I happened to have of my own, I now have got enough acid to last the two of us for a week or possibly longer if we go sparingly on it, and no other case develops in the meantime

Sat. Feb. 27th

Weather fine, sky clear, wind N.E. 3/4 gentle breeze, Elahoo-koh & Komalik (two natives) arrived here this evening about 4 P.M. from Jimmys Camp at Horton River. My legs seems to be worse tonight, Mikes also.

Sun. Feb. 28th

Wind E. stiff breeze weather fine & clear Temp -24. I went out as far as edge of the ice today but found no open water. My legs, and Mikes also seems to be getting better today I think it is the citric acid which I got that is beginning to work again

Mon. Mar. 1st

Wind N. E. stiff breeze. snow drifting low. Temp -25. Barometer 30.95 steady. Mike was out seal hunting today, found plenty open water but saw no seals. Mike & I are both almost better of the scurvey

Tue. Mar. 2nd

Wind S. light breeze, foggy Temp-28
Barometer 30.95 steady. Mike went
out seal hunting today again but
did not get any seal. Him and I
seem to be entirely better of
the scurvey. Noivah (the native)
dropped a piece of wood on his foot
and hurt it slightly. he was here
to have it doctored

Wed. Mar 3rd

Light var. Wind W. to N. sky clear,
Temp 8am -22. Noon -5. Barometer 30.60
The change in the Temp. being due to
the sun which is beginning to
be felt very plainly. Mike & I were
out seal hunting today but did not
see any seal, although there was
lots of open Water. The natives did
not see any either

Thur. Mar. 4th

Weather fine, wind S. W. shy clear
Temp. 8 am – 28, Noon – 20. Barometer 30.45
I repaired some tinware today, and gave
a native woman some Chewing Gum for
patching my boots, having worn a
hole in each of them yesterday, while
seal hunting, one of the natives got a
seal today

Frid. Mar. 5th

Wind S. W. light breeze shy clear.
Temp. Noon – 15 Six P.m – 40 Barometer 30.5
Mr. Sweeney's ~~woman~~ is sick today,

Sat. Mar. 6th

Wind S. W shy clear, light breeze Temp – 2
at Noon, 6 P.m Temp – 45 Barometer 30.7

Sun. Mar. 7th

Wind S fresh breeze weather clear
Temp. Noon – 22 Six P.m – 30. Bar. 30.6
Mike got one seal today. Which
he left about 3 miles out on the
ice

Mon. Mar. 8th

Wind E. light breeze, sky clear
Temp. Noon -20. Six P.M. - 35.
Barometer 30.35 steady. Mike went out
seal hunting today also but got none

Tue Mar 9th

Weather fine, Wind N.W. light breeze
Temp. Noon -18 Six P.M. - 30. Barometer 30.35
steady. Mike & I went out today &
got the seal, which he had left
on the ice the day before yesterday
Today Mr. Sweeney just discovered
that all the lard is gone, so
now we will have to use seal oil
for grease. I got five lbs of tobacco.?

Wed. Mar 10th

Wind N.E. light breeze. Temp Noon.
-14. Six P.M. - 32. Barometer 30.75.
Mike is not better of the scurvy yet
last night his legs was as bad as
they had been. Although he has
been out seal hunting quite
often lately. Walking from

Twenty to thirty miles per day. but still the scurvy has come back, as when I got better he appeared to be quite well also. A native named Ikutahoh shot a polar Bear today

Thur. Mar. 11th

Wind E. strong breeze, snow drifting slightly, Temp -18 Bar. 30.65 I did not go any where today

Frid. Mar 12th

Weather stormy, wind E. snowing falling (lightly) Temp -12 no effect from sun today, Barometer 30.65 I did not go anywhere today either. Yesterday a native shot a small Ugaruh.

Sat Mar. 13th

Wind N. E. stiff breeze, Temp -10 shy cloudy, Barometer 30.6

Sun Mar. 14th

Wind N. E. stiff breeze snow drifting slightly. Temp -12 Barometer 30.6

Mon. Mar. 15th

Weather stormy, snow drifting heavily Wind E. Temp -10, Barometer 30.5

Tue. Mar. 16th

Weather fine. Wind S. W. light breeze Temp. Noon +10 Six P.M. -4. Barometer 30.45 Mike went out seal hunting today but did not get any. There is much open water outside the floe just now.

Wed Mar. 17th

stormy, snow both falling & drifting Calmed down at 9 P.M. Temp 0 Bar. 30.45 falling slowly. Wind N. E.

Thur. Mar. 18th

Weather moderate, Wind N.E. fresh breeze, snow falling lightly all day, Temp +4, Barometer 30·4 steady Mike seems not to be getting better of the scurvy at all, it is still as bad as ever, and the medicine which I bought is pretty near all gone.

Frid. Mar. 19th

Wind still N.E. fresh breeze, weather misty, with light particles of snow falling, Temp +10, Barometer 30·4

Sat. Mar. 20th

Wind S.W. light breeze, weather fine, Temp. noon +26, 10 P.M. -12, Barometer 30·4 steady. The hole which Mr Sweeney finished yesterday afternoon, to clear the propeller was full of water this morning, so I will not be able to cut down the propeller, as I had intended to do. Mike got a little more off

the citric acid from the native in trade for some tobacco, he did not get much as I had traded for all of it, except a little which they wanted to keep in case some of them would get scurvy also, as they have been eating very frequently on the ship, the same food which are eating.

Sun. Mar. 21st

Weather fine, wind light & variable, Temp. noon +12, sea 8 pm -14 Bar. 30'4 Mike got one seal today, which he left on the ice, & will get it tomorrow, I took a bearing on the sun, with the compass; and we set our watches at the approximate, local time

Mon. Mar. 22nd

Wind N.E. Weather stormy, snow drifting, Temp. Noon 0. Barometer 30.55

Tue Mar. 23rd

Stormy, snow drifting, wind S.E. Temp -12, Barometer 30.55. Ikuta-hoh, shot a bear today, or it may have been Freeman who shot it. There is a very large lead of open water off shore at present.

Wed. Mar. 24th

Weather moderate, Wind E light breeze. Temp +5 Noon, Bar. 30.5 Mike shot one seal today. Mr Jacobson arrived here at noon today, he has his wife and child along, and is stopping with us at present, he brought us a few news paper clippings about the war. He had a very hard trip, being out 13 days storming most of the time.

Thur. Mar. 25th
Weather moderate, light N. W. wind, snow falling lightly, Temp. noon +15, Barometer 30.5

Frid. Mar. 26th
Weather moderate, fresh N. W. breeze Temp. from +5 to -10. Mike still has got the scurvy about as bad as ever.

Sat. Mar. 27th
Weather moderate, fresh breeze from the E. Temp. 0, Barometer 3055

Sun. Mar. 28
Weather fine, wind light, and variable Temp. from +22 to -16, Barometer 30.55, I have come to the conclusion that the Barometer is not accurate, and it is inside the cabin, and when the cabin is kept warm she goes up, and when it grows cold she falls.

Mon. Mar. 29th

Weather fine, light N. Wind, Temp. from +22 to -20, Barometer 30.85, Mr Sweeney, accompanied by Amiyu & Mr Jacobson went out after two sled loads of wood to build a rack with, they have not returned yet, 9 P.M. Mr Jacobson with wife & child is living aboard with us.

Tue. Mar. 30th

Wind N.E. light, weather fine and clear, Temp. +12 to -16, Barometer 30.85 I caught one fox today, the first for several weeks, although I have went over my traps almost every day. I caught quite a large number this winter, the record of which I got, as to number, and date of each.

Wed. Mar. 31st

Wind N. E. weather stormy, snow drifting, Temp. -8 steady, Barometer 30°7.

Thur. April 1st

Weather still stormy, wind E. Temp. -2, Barometer 30°45. We discovered tonight that Mr Jacobson also has the scurvy, but he is almost better now, it having been worse during the winter and he did not know what it was.

Frid. April 2nd

Weather moderated this evening & the wind changed to W. Temp +8 Barometer 3°45

Sat. April 3rd

Wind W. light breeze, Temp. from +25 to 0, Barometer 30.40, I caught one fox, and three ptarmigan today, I saw four only

Sun. April 4th

Wind N. light breeze, weather fine and clear. Temp. from +10 to −20, Barometer 30·45

Mon. Apr. 5th

Wind E. light breeze, Temp −8 Barometer 30·35. The natives shot three bears today.

Tue. Apr. 6th

Wind E. weather very stormy with snow drifting thickly about the worst which I have saw this winter, Temp. 0, Barometer 30·35. Mike went out bear hunting today but did not see any.

Wed. Apr. 7th

Wind E. Weather moderated during the day Temp. from 0 to +5 Bar. 30·30 Mr Sweeney is suffering from a sore throat today, and has got a mustard plaster on it at present. Open water showing outside the floe,

Thur. April 8th

Weather fine, light breeze from E. later changed to N. Temp. from +20 to −10, Barometer 30·3. Mr Sweeney is confined to bed today with his throat, but is getting a little better tonight. I caught one fox today. There was a bear at the whole carcase this morning, with several dogs fighting him and a native named Lomalla also a native woman named Patty went out to shoot him. They fired several shots at him but did not hit him, later on three other men went out after him and killed him

Frid April 9th

Weather fine, wind N. E. light Breeze, Temp. from +10 to −15, Bar 30·5 A fox got caught in one of my traps, and got away with it.

Sat Apr. 10th

Wind E. fresh breeze, Temp. 0 Barometer 30·3. Mr Philips. (H B Co.) Mr Girling (Mission) and a native guide arrived here today at 3 P M they are stopping aboard. Mr Sweeney went to sleep in the forecastle Mike shot a bear. Sun. Apr. 11th

Weather stormy, wind E. Temp. 0 Bar. 30·2. We had church service aboard today. Minister Mr Girling (Epis. Missionary)

Mon Apr. 12th

Weather stormy, wind E. Temp +7. Barometer 30·05. Jimmy arrived here this P m at 7·30 from Horton river. Mr Sweeney was married by the missionary (Mr Girling) to a native woman named Angashak this evening at 8 P m

Tue. Apr. 13th

Wind E. light breeze, weather moderate. Temp. +10. Barometer 30'05

Wed. Apr. 14th 14th

Wind E. light breeze. Temp +10 Barometer 30'1. Mr Phillips and Mr Girling left here, for Norton River this morning at 9 am Jimmy and Oshihoh accompanying them.

Thur. Apr. 15th 15th

Wind E. fresh breeze. Temp +15 at noon, and +5 at 9 pm Barometer 30'1 The scurvy has set in again in my legs, now all the provisions we have are, Peas, flour, and sugar, no medicine for scurvy, I procured a bottle of Enoch's Fruit Salts from Mr Girling

Frid Apr. 16th

Wind E. Weather stormy, snow drifting, Temp. +10. Barometer 30'1

Mr Jacobson discovered tonight that he had the scurvy also him and I are going on a Starving an hunt. as soon as the weather permitts, the storm kept us from starting this am

Sat Apr. 17th

Weather stormy, snow drifting. wind E., Temp. +18, Barometer 30.05 We did not get away, it is too stormy

Stores on ship in spring
included a quantity of
mixed soup vegetables,
tea
also fresh meat on hand
all counted
Stephen D. Sweeney

50 Jds. 5 S. D. Sev. (D. J. Sw.) Born 1869
1907 E Smith 1911 Belvedere 10 (off. 4 year)

According to all appearances Ewalt
Had ... Nov. 6. 1914

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Book of Enoch 5th Century B.C. found
in Egypt Nov. 30th 1913 N.Y. times

Aug 7th Herschel I. & L.

Received from Gas

Engine Co.

1 Thrust Bearing

1 Set Sparking plugs Complete

1 Extra set electrodes

1 cons. tube

Lot of ins. rings

2½ Doz Glass Cyl. oil Cups

with Bushings

Electric Lamps
" sodas Carbons & Zincs
100 ft Electric Wire Low Tension
2½ stock & Dies
" Taps 2 of
50 ft ¼" Round Leather Belting
Drills
Cam Rollers & pins
2 valve springs & valves
Linoleum 30 ft x 2 ft 9 wide
1 Bosh Magneto

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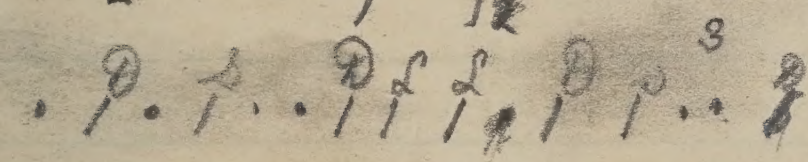

Nov. 18th

Red. Cal. Red Fla- Dec 20th

Harriers meas. 36.30. 17½ (17½ from F to T) or over